

# SECONDARY CONTAINMENT UNIT (SCU)

## How to Procure

### POSSIBLE CONTAMINANTS OF CONCERN

Secondary Containment Units (SCU) are used to accumulate POL related recyclables (oil, antifreeze and fuel). Refer to applicable environmental protocol sheets.

NOTE: Secondary containment is required for containers at or greater than 55 gallons volume.

### CHARACTERIZATION

Secondary Containment Units are unit hand receipt items.

### HANDLING PROCEDURES

- Step 1** Unit Commander or Activity Director selects a POL accumulation point operator.
- Step 2** POL site operator submits a site diagram and a memorandum (signed by the commander and EQO) to the HW Program Manager to establish POL site. The POL accumulation point operator conducts weekly inspections and maintains site documentation. (Pg 10 in Table of Contents)
- Step 3** HW Program Manager/Contractor Support will provide training on proper set up of the POL site.
- Step 4** Memo will be forwarded to the PPOC for purchase of the SCU.
- Step 5** SCU will be hand receipted to the unit or activity, if available. If a used SCU is unavailable, the Commander will authorize purchase of a new SCU in writing to the PPOC.



SCU's may be obtained through the PPOC

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Units are encouraged to laterally transfer used SCU's within their organization on a DA Form 3161 and transfer excess SCU's in good condition to the Environmental Division, P2 hand receipt holder.

Do not deploy with your SCU. Secure your SCU during deployment, or contact the Environmental Division, Pollution Prevention hand receipt holder for turn in while deployed.

For more information contact **Environmental Division Hazardous Waste.**